You are to research the following events below in an attempt to start to answer the question: **Why the Jews?**

Blood Libel or “ritual murder charge”

The Protocols of the Elders of Zion

The Versailles Treaty

Hep Hep Riots

League for Anti-Semitism/Wilhelm Marr

Dreyfus Affair

Martin Luther/*On Jews and Their Lies* and *Annuls of the Jews*

Edict of Milan/Constantine the Great

Treatment of Jews by Theodosius the Great

Bar Kochba Rebellion

Theodore Herzl/Zionism

Black Death/ Bubonic Plague

Crusades/Pope Innocent III

Court Jews

Diaspora

Spanish Inquisition/Tomas de Torquemada

Ghetto/expulsion

Nebuchadnezzar II/Babylonian treatment of the Jews

You are to use the internet (.edus and .orgs are best remember as well as REAL online encyclopedias) and books/handouts available in class to research your assigned topics.

**What I would like you to answer:**

Basically, who, what, where, when and why?

Who or what is your topic? Describe it in detail pictorially and verbally (sources?)

How is/could your topic be related to the treatment of the Jews during the Holocaust?

When did your topic take place?

Where did it take place?

Create:

A slide (or poster) answering the above questions on Google Presentation so that you will be able to share it with me and then eventually the class. My hope is to create a timeline of events for the class with all of your slides/posters.